

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 FREETO 00409 040803Z

15

ACTION CU-04

INFO OCT-01 AF-06 EUR-12 ISO-00 USIE-00 SSO-00 /023 W

----- 006732

O P 040734Z MAR 75

FM AMEMBASSY FREETOWN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 829

AMEMBASSY LONDON PRIORITY

UNCLAS FREETOWN 0409

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OEXC, SL

SUBJECT: SPORT PROJECTS

REF: A. STATE 12406 (NOTAL)

B. DEPT-SAMUELS PHONE CONVERSATIONS FEB 28 (NOTAL)

1. PENDING APPROVAL OF GOSL FORCE COMMANDER AND GOSL OFFICE OF PRESIDENT, WHICH WE DO NOT EXPECT TO BE PROBLEM, EMBASSY WILL SEND SGT VICTOR SESSAY OF SIERRA LEONE MILITARY FORCES. SESSAY IS SLMF PHYSICAL TRAINING INSTRUCTOR AND COACHES, IN ADDITION TO BASKETBALL, VOLLEYBALL, SOCCER AND TABLE TENNIS. HE MEMBER OF SLMF NATIONAL BASKETBALL TEAM AND IS SIERRA LEONE'S PREMIER MIDDLE AND LONG DISTANCE RUNNER.

2. SESSAY, ABOUT 33 YEARS OF AGE, ATTENDED AHMADIYA MUSLIM SECONDARY SCHOOL IN BO, SIERRA LEONE 1961-64. HE ENLISTED IN SLMF IN 1965 AND WAS ATTACHED TO THE PHYSICAL TRAINING BRANCH IN 1966. HE WAS PROMOTED TO LANCE CORPORAL IN 1967, CORPORAL IN 1968 AND SGT IN 1974. MR. SESSAY IS MARRIED AND HAS FOUR CHILDREN.

3. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS FROM REF B THAT CU PAYING ALL INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND PER DIEM. REQUEST IMMEDIATELY FISCAL DATA FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND TRAVEL ADVANCE. PLEASE CONFIRM RESERVATIONS ON TWA 771 MARCH 8 LONDON TO CHICAGO AND TWA 439 MAR 8 CHICAGO KANSAS CITY. TO ARRIVE LONDON FOR MAR 8 FLIGHT SESSAY MUST LEAVE FREETOWN MAR 6.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 FREETO 00409 040803Z

4. LONDON: PLEASE MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS FOR
SESSAY MAR 6 AND 7.
SAMUELS

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 04 MAR 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975FREETO00409
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750074-1023
From: FREETOWN
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750385/aaaacyye.tel
Line Count: 64
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION CU
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 75 STATE 12406
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: CollinP0
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 05 JUN 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <05 JUN 2003 by SilvaL0>; APPROVED <23 FEB 2004 by CollinP0>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
05 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: SPORT PROJECTS
TAGS: OEXC, SL
To: STATE LONDON
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006